



The First Grade Dolphin Times

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Spelling Words: Here are our spelling words for this week! Our story is called Jack and Rick. Our spelling test will be on Friday.

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| sat | map | fig | rip | let |
| set | mud | nut | not | mop |

Word Wall Words: Here are our words for this week!

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| help | now | play | too | want |
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1st 9 Weeks Word Wall Words So Far:

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| a | the | can | I | my |
| up | go | am | had | like |
| make | they | walk | come | down |
| help | now | play | too | want |

Our reading levels for the 1st 9 weeks are:

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| Level A - B | Far Below Grade Level |
| Level C | Below Grade Level |
| Levels D - J | On Grade Level |
| Levels K + | Above Grade Level |

Don't Forget:



Open House: We will be having an Open House on September 18th at 6:00 p.m. for the whole school. You will be able to visit our classroom and find out some important information. We hope you will come and find out more about your child's classroom and the new core curriculum this year. We are also planning to have a sign up sheet available for conferences at Open House, so bring your calendar with you!

Reading Assessments: We are busy working on all kinds of assessments right now. Your child will be assessed three times during the school year on several different things using the MClass assessments. We will be sharing more information with you at the Open House on Thursday night and also at our upcoming conferences in a few weeks.

Interim Reports: Students who are below level will be receiving an interim report on Monday, September 22nd.



T-Shirt Money: Each year the students buy T-shirts. The price of the T-shirts this year is going to be \$6.00. Adults may also purchase shirts if they would like for \$6.00. Larger adult size shirts are \$9. Please turn in the \$6.00 for your child's T-shirt as soon as possible. I also need to know your child's T-shirt size. We really want every child to wear this on our first field trip.

Book Orders: Our first book orders have been placed. Thank you to those of you who purchased books. They should be here in a week or so. We will send them home as soon as they arrive.

Field Trip: Every year we get to take two field trips in the First Grade. Look for a permission slip and more information to come your way very soon about our first field trip to Lazy 5 Ranch on Friday, October 24th!



Happy Birthday to YOU!

September Birthdays

7- Manuel

10- Cameron

13- Dylan

Wish List: If you can provide any of these needed items for our classroom, please do so.
Thanks for all your help!

- Small candies for the treat jar
- A bag of plain M&M's for graphing

